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YESTERDAY the Right Honorable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council of the City of London, waited upon His Majeſty, (being introduced by the Earl of Hertford, Lord Chamberlain of His Majeſty's Houſehold) with the following Addreſs, which was read by Thomas Nugent, Eſq; the Common Serjeant.

To the KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord-Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council aſſembled

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord-Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common-Council aſſembled, beg your Majeſty's Permiſſion humbly to approach the Throne, to expreſs our Deteſtation and Abhorrence of thoſe dreadful Acts of Violence and Outrage, which have lately been committed by a Set of abandoned and deſperate Men, who, in the Proſecution of their wicked Purpoſes, aſſembled in ſuch Numbers as to overwhelm all Civil Authority, and render the Exertions of the Magiſtrates ineffectual.

Thus circumſtanced, nothing leſs than that armed Force, with the Direction of which your Majeſty is conſtitutionally entruſted, could have reſcued us from the Horrors with which we were ſurrounded; that Force your Majeſty in your great Goodneſs was moſt graciouſly pleaſed to ſend to our Protection; and by it's happy Interpoſition our Properties have been ſecured from further Depredation, and Peace and Tranquility again reſtored. — For this your Majeſty's paternal Care ſhewn to your ancient and loyal City of London, we beg to preſent our moſt ſincere and grateful Thanks; and at the ſame we aſſure your Majeſty, that every Event which can poſſibly add to the Happineſs of any Branch of your Auguſt Family, or give additional Luſtre and Dignity to your Crown, will ever be received by us with the moſt heart felt Satisfaction.

Signed by Order of Court,

WILLIAM RIX.

To which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to return the following Moſt Gracious Anſwer.

I THANK you for this dutiful and loyal Addreſs. Your Deteſtation of the late Rebellious Tumults, and the Gratitude you expreſs for the Meaſures taken to ſuppreſs them, and to reſtore the Public Tranquility, are highly agreeable to Me.

My Concern for the Welfare and Proſperity of the Great Metropolis of My Kingdom, makes Me feel a particular Satisfaction in the Prevention of that Deſtruction that threatened your Properties, and in the Re-eſtabliſhment of Legal Order, under which alone they can be ſecured.

They were all received very graciouſly, and had the Honor to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand.

KENNETT, *Mayor.*

A Common-Council holden in the Chamber of the Guildhall of the City of London, on Monday the 24th Day of July, 1780;

RESOLVED unanimouſly, That the Thanks of this Court be given to the Officers and Privates who have done Duty in this City, for their exemplary Conduct and ſtrict Attention to Military Diſcipline during the late alarming Riots.

RIX.

The following Addreſs of the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Southampton having been tranſmitted by Thomas South, Eſq; High Sheriff of the ſaid County, to the Earl of Hillſborough, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE, the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Southampton, aſſembled at the Caſtle at Wincheſter, for the Aſſizes held this Day the 25th of July, 1780, beg Leave to offer to your Majeſty our moſt ſincere and loyal Congratulations on the Suppreſſion of the late dangerous Tumults and Inſurrections, by a neceſſary and efficacious Exertion of the Military in Aid of the Civil Power.

The Horror with which we regarded theſe alarming Proceedings of a violent and lawleſs Rabble, was augmented by the ſhameful Pretence which they ſet up of Zeal for the Proteſtant Religion. We are fully perſuaded that your Majeſty has nothing more at Heart than to ſupport, as the Bulwark of the Proteſtant Intereſt, the Church of England as by Law eſtabliſhed: And we hope that all ſuch of your Majeſty's Subjects as may have been ſeduced by the Inſinuations of evil-deſigning Men, are now ſo far recovered from their Deluſion, as to diſtinguiſh between Levelling Principles, and Principles of True Religion.

While we lament the Neceſſity of that Severity which the Sufferings of Individuals and the Public Safety have moſt juſtly called for, permit us; at the ſame Time, to aſſure your Majeſty, that ſuch diabolical Attempts to deſtroy the Credit and Conſequence of the Nation, and ſuch wanton Violation of the Property of Individuals, will never have any other Effect on our Minds, than to incite in us a Spirit of reſolute Unanimity to confound and extirpate all future Hopes of the open or ſecret Abettors of ſuch Proceedings, which tend to the Subverſion of all good Order and Government, and to draw down Ruin on our Country.

[Signed by *Thomas South*, Eſq; High Sheriff, and the Grand Jury.]

The following Addreſs of the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Berks having been tranſmitted by the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the ſaid County to the Earl of Hillſborough, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been

been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Berks, aſſembled at the Aſſizes begun at Abingdon the 24th of July, think it our indiſpenſable Duty to expreſs, in the ſtrongeſt Terms, our Abhorrence of the criminal Acts of Outrage and Violence, committed by deſperate Bands of Men during the late moſt dangerous and alarming Diſturbances in London, and our higheſt Indignation againſt the Authors, Promoters, and Perpetrators of them.

We acknowledge, with the warmeſt Emotions of Gratitude, Duty, and Affection, your Majeſty's paternal Care and Concern for the Protection of your Subjects, in the Meaſures which your Majeſty, as the Father of your People and the Guardian of the publick Safety, took in the Hour of extreme and imminent Neceſſity, for the immediate and effectual Suppreſſion of thoſe rebellious Inſurrections.

We return our grateful Thanks to your Majeſty for bringing the Offenders to ſpeedy Trial; and we hope the Examples made in conſequence will effectually prevent a Return of Horrors, unknown before in this Country of true Freedom; Freedom founded on Law.

We have great Satisfaction in being able to inform your Majeſty, that there has not appeared among us the leaſt Diſpoſition towards Diſorder or Violence; and we beg Leave unanimouſly to aſſure your Majeſty of our determined Reſolution to exert our utmoſt Endeavours to guard this County from Diſturbance.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Juſtice, Aldermen, Capital and Inferior Burgeſſes of the Borough and Town of Taunton, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Colonel Roberts, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Juſtice, Aldermen, Capital and Inferior Burgeſſes, of the Borough and Town of Taunton in the County of Somerſet.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Juſtice, Aldermen, Capital and Inferior Burgeſſes, of the Borough and Town of Taunton, humbly requeſt your Majeſty will be graciouſly pleaſed to accept our moſt ſincere Congratulations on the ſignal Succeſs which Divine Providence hath afforded to Your Arms, by the Reduction of the Fortreſs of Charles Town, and the Province thereto belonging; and which we hope will be the Means of convincing your Majeſty's deluded American Subjects, that their Proſperity and Happineſs alone depend on a Reconciliation with their Mother Country, and a Return to their primitive Duty.

Permit us, Sire! moſt dutifully to aſſure you, of our Abhorrence and Indignation at the late cruel Outrages and rebellious Actions, committed by your Majeſty's infatuated Subjects in the Metropolis and other Parts, in open Defiance of the Laws and Statutes of this your Kingdom; that we will on all Occaſions be ready to ſhew our firm Attachment to your Majeſty's Perſon, Family, and Government; and, as loyal Subjects, ever uſe our utmoſt Endeavours to make your Majeſty's Reign happy and proſperous; and to continue that Peace and Harmony which hath as yet prevailed within this Juriſdiction.

Given under the Seal of the ſaid Borough and Town, the 21ſt Day of July, 1780.

The following Addreſs of the Provoſt, Magiſtrates, and Town Council of Montroſe, having been tranſmitted by the Provoſt, Alexander Chriſtie, Eſq; to the Lord Viſcount Stormont, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been preſented to the King: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Provoſt, Magiſtrates, and Town Council of Montroſe, in Council aſſembled.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE beg Leave to approach your Majeſty, to expreſs the genuine and unfeigned Senſe we entertain of the mild and conſtitutional Government exerciſed by your Majeſty over every Part of your extenſive Dominions; and of the peculiar Happineſs we, and the reſt of our Fellow Subjects, enjoy in conſequence of it: Such being the Caſe, it was with great Concern and Surprize that we beheld ſome of your Majeſty's Subjects, who appear not to have been affected with theſe Sentiments of Duty and Gratitude, ſo natural, ſo juſt, and becoming. Ignorant, enthuſiaſtick, and intolerant, and perhaps actuated by Motives leſs excuſeable than theſe, they have formed themſelves into illegal Aſſociations, daringly appeared in formidable Numbers and hoſtile Array, menaced the Legiſlature, and finally proceeded to the Commiſſion of every Act the moſt outrageous and violent.

Whilſt we deplore the extenſive and complicated Miſery which has ariſen from ſuch unequalled and unprovoked Riots, and that any of your Majeſty's Subjects ſhould have been guilty of Crimes ſo atrocious, we at the ſame Time are happy to obſerve the wiſe Councils, the neceſſary, legal, and effectual Methods purſued by your Majeſty for the Suppreſſion of the Rioters, the Protection of the Innocent, and the Reſtoration of the Public Tranquility. And we conſole ourſelves with the Hope, that permamanent Good may ariſe from the late Troubles; particularly an univerſal and juſt Senſe of the Neceſſity of a dutiful Behaviour as Subjects, and of the ineſtimable Value of publick Order and legal Government.

Happy in this Expectation, with Pleaſure we turn our Eyes towards the State of your Majeſty's Colonies in North America; and beg Leave to expreſs before you the Joy we feel from the late diſtinguiſhed Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms in the Reduction of the Capital and Province of South Carolina. We entertain the Hope, that this important Event will have a doubly good Effect; to intimidate and over-awe the Remains of that deſperate and Republican Faction, from which has originated the Rebellion in America, and all the Miſeries conſequent on it; and to ſtimulate the Well-affected through all the Colonies to unite in Sentiment and Effort with your Majeſty's Servants, for terminating the Reign of Democracy, Tyranny, and Confuſion; for accompliſhing the Re-union of America with the Parent State, and all the Bleſſings which flow from its orderly and free Conſtitution, governed by your Majeſty with ſo much Juſtice, paternal Care, and Moderation.

We take Leave of your Majeſty, requeſting, that God, the Author of Order, and whoſe Power can controul every Event, would grant ſuch effectual Succeſs to your Majeſty's Arms as may humble the Inſolence

Inſolence of our Foreign Foes, and conſtrain them to Peace; that then your Majeſty may have the Glory and Happineſs of being the Reſtorer of Publick Tranquility, Harmony, and Order, to your Kingdoms and Colonies, and to all Europe.

Signed, in Preſence and by Appointment of the Magiſtrates and Town Council, at Montroſe, the 19th Day of July, 1780.

Alexander Chriſtie, Provoſt.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the Borough of Plymouth, having been tranſmitted to the Earl of Hillsborough, One of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been preſented to the King: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of the Borough of Plymouth, beg Leave to approach the Throne with our warmeſt Congratulations on the ſignal and very important Succeſſes with which it has pleaſed the Almighty to bleſs your Majeſty's Arms in the Province of South Carolina; a Victory, we humbly hope and truſt, may be the Means of reducing to Obedience, and a true Senſe of their Intereſt and Happineſs, our deluded and rebellious Fellow-Subjects throughout the Continent of America, and again uniting them to this Kingdom in the Bonds of perfect Harmony and laſting Reconciliation.

Permit us, Sire, at the ſame Time, to expreſs our Abhorrence of the dangerous Riots which have diſturbed the Peace of the Metropolis. Conſcious of the Bleſſings attending the Eſtabliſhment of good Order, and due Obſervance of the Laws of our happy Conſtitution, we cannot reflect without Horror and Indignation on the late enormous Outrages committed by a Band of lawleſs and deſperate Men, which (but for the Vigilance and Attention to the Security of your People graciouſly ſhewn by your Majeſty in the Suppreſſion of thoſe Diſturbances, and bringing to Trial and condign Puniſhment the Authors and Abettors of Acts ſo highly criminal) threatened the Deſtruction of private Property and Violation of public Juſtice throughout the Kingdom.

We humbly preſume to offer our Tribute of ſincere and grateful Thanks for the Protection afforded your Subjects, and to aſſure your Majeſty of our firm and inviolable Attachment to your Royal Perſon, Family, and Government, and that we will readily and faithfully uſe our utmoſt Exertions, as Magiſtrates or Individuals, to preſerve Peace and Tranquillity, and reſiſt every Attempt againſt the Honor and Dignity of your Majeſty's Crown, and the Conſtitution of this Country.

Given under our Hands, at the Council Chamber of the Guildhall of the ſaid Borough, the Fifteenth Day of July, in the Year of our Lord, One thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty.

St. James's, July 29.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto William Fox, of Plymouth in the County of Devon, Druggiſt, and his Iſſue, His Royal Licence and Authority to aſſume and uſe the Surname of Cookworthy only; and alſo to order, that this His Majeſty's Conceſſion and Declaration be regiſtered in His College of Arms.

The King has been pleaſed to preſent the Reverend William Cooke, Doctor in Divinity, to the Deanry of Ely, void by the Death of Dr. Hugh Thomas, late Dean thereof.

Admiralty Office, July 29, 1780.

COmmodore Johnſtone, in his Letter to Mr. Stephens, dated off Liſbon the 7th Inſtant, gives an Account of His Majeſty's Ship the Romney, Captain Home, having, in the Latitude of 45°, fallen in with and taken, after a cloſe Action of Half an Hour, the Artois French Frigate of 40 Guns and 474 Men, commanded by M. Le Febre; in which Action the Romney had three Men wounded, the Artois nine Men killed, and ſixteen wounded, and the Sails and Rigging of both Ships much damaged.

The Romney was left in Chace of a Frigate when the Prize parted with her; and the Commodore likewiſe mentions, that the Æolus had, on the 24th of June, in Company with two Privateer Cutters, taken the Eulalie, of 18 Guns and 100 Men, bound from Bourdeaux to Port au Prince, laden chiefly with Wine and Flour.

Admiralty Office, July 29, 1780.

Extract of a Letter from Captain John Harvey, of His Majeſty's Ship Panther, to Mr. Stephens, dated Gibraltar Bay, June 8, 1780.

NOTHING material has happened here neceſſary for their Lordſhips Information, ſince Commodore Elliot ſailed, till the 7th Inſtant, when, about One in the Morning, His Majeſty's Ship Enterprize, whoſe Captain I directed to moor Northward of the New Mole, to prevent any Attack on the Ships and Veſſels here, made the Signal of an Enemy's Approach. Seven Ships or Veſſels were immediately perceived to be ſet on Fire, and coming towards the New Mole. Some of thoſe Fire-Ships drove, and the others were, by the Boats of the Enterprize, St. Fermin and Ordnance Tranſports, all towed by Two o'Clock to the Southward of the New Mole. The largeſt went on Shore in Roſcia Bay. Four of them drifting towards the Panther, lying off Roſcia, her Boats were ſent to grapple them, which they ſoon effected, and towed them on Shore. At Half paſt Two, diſcovering two Veſſels making towards the Panther, ſeveral Guns, with Round and Grape Shot, were fired at them; on which they were ſet on Fire. The Boats, without Difficulty, in a little Time, towed them clear: One of them, a Brig, got on Shore at Europa Point; the other, a Ship, drove to Sea. Though the Enemy had the moſt favorable Wind, Weather, &c. for their Purpoſe, you will pleaſe to acquaint their Lordſhips, not the leaſt Damage has been done to the Shipping, nor had we a ſingle Man hurt. A conſtant Fire from all the Ships and the Garriſon was kept up on the Enemy's Gallies and Boats, which were very numerous; but the Darkneſs of the Night prevented our diſcovering what Execution was done. By what remains of the ſeveral Veſſels, and the Species of Stores and Combuſtibles unconſumed, it is evident no Labour or Expence has been ſpared in their Equipment. The largeſt Ship is about 117 Feet in the Keel, had two Tier of Ports, and was about the Size of a 50 Gun Ship. One Ship appeared to be of about 300 Tons, another of about 200, four Brigs, and two ſmall Veſſels

By the Flames of the Fireſhips we obſerved ſeveral Ships ſtanding off and on the Entrance of the Bay, which at Day-light we found to be the Spaniſh Rear-Admiral Barcello, in a Ship of the Line, with two Frigates, and ſeveral Xebeques and other armed Veſſels They ſailed in the Night from Algezir, with a View of intercepting any Ship that might have been obliged to go out of the Bay. A Ship of the Line likewiſe ſailed the Day before from that Place to the Eaſtward, as is ſuppoſed with the

the ſame Deſign. In the Morning the Spaniſh Admiral, with the Frigates and Xebeques, returned and anchored at Algezir, where he now remains.

I cannot conclude my Letter without requeſting that you will be further pleaſed to inform their Lordſhips, that the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship under my Command behaved with the greateſt Steadineſs and Reſolution, particularly the Officers and People in the Boats, who grappled and towed off the Fireſhips, notwithſtanding the frequent Exploſions of Sh lls, &c. The Behaviour of Captain Leſlie, the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship Enterprize, was equally exemplary, not only for their Vigilance in diſcovering and keeping a good Fire on the Enemy, which in a great Meaſure was the Means of fruſtrating their Attempt, but likewiſe for the Activity of their Officers and People in the Boats, towing off the Fireſhips, &c. Captain Faulknor, of His Majeſty's Sloop St. Fermin, then lying in the Mole, likewiſe gave great Aſſiſtance with his Boats. The Officers ſuperintending, Maſters and Crews of the Dutton, Nottingham, Friendſhip, and Union Ordnance Tranſports, did great Service, not only by keeping up a very ſmart Fire on the Enemy's Gallies, &c but alſo in ſending their Boats to aſſiſt in towing off the Fireſhips.

Extract of a Letter from Vice Admiral Lord Shuldham to Mr. Stephens, dated Plymouth, July 22, 1780.

THE François, a French Brig, taken by Sir James Wallace, Captain of His Majeſty's Ship the Nonſuch, arrived here this Afternoon, and herewith I tranſmit you the Intelligence given by the Prize Maſter on board her

Intelligence.

The Nonſuch being on a Cruize, the 14th Inſtant, about Ten A. M. diſcovered a Fleet ſteering to the Weſtward, to which ſhe gave Chace, and on coming up, found it to be a Convoy from Breſt, bound to Nantz and Bourdeaux, conſiſting of 22 Sail, under the Eſcort of three Frigates, la Bellone, Etourdie, and Lezard, the two former of 36 Guns each, and the latter new pierced for 36 Guns, but only 12 on board. As ſoon as the Nonſuch came near the Convoy, they all puſhed for the Loire; but ſhe ſoon after captured the François, another Brig and a Sloop, and the Lezard getting a ground on the Blanche Blank, was burnt the next Morning by the Boats of the Nonſuch, having firſt taken out a great Part of her Stores, which conſiſted moſtly of Cordage, and unbent the Sails from her Yards. At Noon, on the 15th, two Sail were diſcovered from the Nonſuch, in the Weſtern Quarter, ſuppoſed, from their Appearance, to be two Frigates, on which ſhe gave Chace to them, and ſeparated from the François.

Admiralty-Office, July 29.

THE following is a Copy of a Liſt of Prizes, taken by the Squadron of Vice-Admiral Sir Peter Parker, Commander in Chief of His Majeſty's Ships at Jamaica, tranſmitted to Mr. Stephens, in his Letter of the 16th of May, 1780.

A Liſt of Veſſels taken by His Majeſty's Squadron under the Command of Sir Peter Parker, Knt. Vice Admiral of the Blue, and Commander in Chief at Jamaica, &c. &c. &c

1779. Nov. 18. By the *Punch Tender*. French Long Boat taken in Iſabella Bay, with 2 Negroes 19 Bags of Indigo, and 7 Bags of Coffee on Board.

Nov. 20. By Ditto. Schooner Eliza, John Wakefield Maſter, with Sugar, Coffee, Taffia, and Dry Goods, carried away her Maſts by the Board in a Gale of Wind, and was obliged to ſcuttle her.

Nov. 30. By Ditto. Sloop Nancy, Samuel Cobers Maſter, from St. Euſtatia to Port au Prince, conſigned to Robinſon and Co. ſent to Port Royal, laden with Flour, Butter, Shingles, Dry Goods, and Salt.

Dec. 3. By the *Janus*, *Briſtol*, and *Lion*. Ship Three Siſters, taken off Tortuga, Nathaniel Weſt Maſter, Elias Haſket Darby of Salem Owner, 230 Tons, 10 Guns, from Salem to Port au Prince, conſigned and ſent as above. with Fiſh, Lumber, Spermacæti and Tallow Candles.

Dec. 4. By the *Reſource*. Sloop Nancy, taken off Cape Nicola, Samuel Calvert Maſter, Cornelius Calvert of Virginia Owner, 60 Tons, 2 Guns, 12 Men, from Norfolk in Virginia to Port au Prince, conſigned and ſent as above, with Flour, and Butter.

Dec. 11. By the *Punch*. Brig Endeavour, taken in Iſabella Bay, John Rollins Maſter, 75 Tons, 8 Guns, 21 Men, from New London to Port au Prince, conſigned and ſent as above, with Lumber, Onions, and Fiſh.

Dec. 14. By Ditto. Schooner Dove, taken off Cape Francois, Jonas Hamilton Maſter, Meſſ. Hibberts and others Reſidents in America Owners, 50 Tons, 8 Men, from Norwich in America to Cape Francois, conſigned and ſent as above, with Staves, Lumber, Oil and Horſes.

Dec. 12. By the *Saliſbury*. Ship St. Carlos, taken about 15 Leagues from Omoa on the Spaniſh Main, Don Juan Antonio Zavelletta Maſter, 500 Tons, 50 Guns, 397 Men, from Cadiz to Omoa, conſigned to George Cuthbert, ſent to Port Royal, with Braſs Cannon, Shot, &c.

Dec. 27. By the *Lyon*, &c Schooner Rattleſnake, taken off the Platform, Hiſpaniola, Thomas Cox Maſter, ſeveral Perſons in Virginia Owners, 45 Tons, 4 Guns, 9 Men, from South Quay Virginia to Curacoa, Aux Cayes, and Edington, conſigned to Robinſon and Co. ſent to Port Royal, with Sugar and Coffee.

Dec. 27 By Ditto. Schooner Three Siſters, taken 5 Leagues from Hiſpaniola, George Darby Maſter, Robert Hardy and Co. of Edington Owners, 45 Tons, 3 Guns, 7 Men, from Edington to Curacoa, Aux Cayes, and Edington, conſigned and ſent as above, with Sugar, Coffee and Gin.

1780. Jan. 14. By the *Punch*. Sloop St. Joſeph, taken off Cape Francois, John Fitzyain Maſter, ſeveral Perſons in Charles Town Owners, 30 Tons, 11 Men, from Cape Francois to Charles Town, conſigned as above, with Taffia, Coffee, Salt, and Dry Goods.

Jan. 15. By Ditto. Schooner Caſſandra, taken in Monti Chriſti Bay, Jacob Johnſon Maſter, Joſeph Forſter Owner, 60 Tons, 4 Guns, 7 Men, from Charles Town to Cape Francois, conſigned and ſent as above, with Rice, Tar, and Butter.

Jan. 25. By Ditto. Schooner Chatham, taken off Cape Francois, Amos Palmer Maſter, Peter Brown and Co. of Stoning Town Owners, 60 Tons, 5 Men, from Cape Francois to Charles Town, conſigned and ſent as above, with Taffia, Coffee, Salt &c

Jan. 6. By the *Reſource*. Sloop La Marianna, taken off Morant Bay, Jean Baptiſte Mitchell Maſter, the Maſter and others of Port au Paix Owners, 20 Tons, 14 Guns, 27 Men, from Port au Paix on a Cruize. conſigned to Galbraith and Co. ſent to Port Royal.

Jan. 27. By the *Punch*. Sloop Hector, taken off Cape Francois, John Allen Maſter, ſeveral Perſons in North Carolina Owners, 70 Tons, 13 Men, from North Carolina to Cape Francois, conſigned

to

to Robinſon and Co. ſent to Port Royal, with Tar, Tobacco, and Staves.

Jan. 31. By the *Hound*. Schooner Helena, taken off the Eaſt End of Jamaica, William Peter Nevlyk Maſter, Jan Henrick Meyer Merchant at Curacoa Owner, 70 Tons, 8 Men, from St. Marks to Curacoa, conſigned and ſent as above, with Cotton and Indigo.

Feb. 1. By the *Ruby and Squadron*. Sloop St. Michael, taken off Cape Antonio, Don Pedro Truxillo Lieutenant and Commander, Maſter, King of Spain Owner, 55 Tons, 12 Guns, 57 Men, from Havannah to Trinidad, conſigned and ſent as above, a Guarda Coſta.

Feb. 1. By the *Hound*. Sloop Fortune, taken at Anchor in Cow Bay, William Longer Maſter, Joſeph Morriſon of Kingſton Jamaica Owner, 50 Tons, 7 Men, from Kingſton to Cape Francois, conſigned and ſent as above, with Staves, Soap, and Brandy.

Feb. 6 By the *Pallas and Squadron*. Snow San Juaquin, taken on the North Side of Cuba, Ralph Gonz Villalba Maſter, King of Spain Owner, 200 Tons, 2 Guns, 23 Men, from Matanzaſto Havannah, conſigned and ſent as above, with Cedar and Mahogany.

Feb. 7. By the *Niger, Pomona, Jamaica, and Port Morant armed Sloop*. Sloop L'Olive, taken coming to an Anchor at Port Royal, Francis Sillary Maſter, Monſ. Tapcair at Aux Cayes Owner, 40 Tons, 10 Men, from Aux Cayes to Jamaica, conſigned to Galbraith and Co. ſent to Port Royal, with Cotton, Indigo, &c.

Feb. 15. By the *Punch*. Brig Achilles, taken off the Navara, Patrick Thomſon Maſter, 100 Tons, 6 Guns, 34 Men, from Cadiz to Philadelphia, conſigned to Robinſon and Co. ſent to Port Royal, with Wines, Dry Goods, and Salt.

Feb. 29. By the *Pallas*. Ship Princeſſa del Aſturias, taken in Lat. 28. 30. Juan Baptiſta Vaxela Maſter, Government of Spain Owner, 350 Tons, 20 Guns 97 Men, from Havannah to Carthagena, conſigned and ſent as above, with Ordnance Stores and Powder.

March 5. By the *Ruby* and *Pallas*. Schooner El Carmen, taken off Porto Rico, Salvadore Maſter and Owner, 4 Guns, 9 Men, from St. Euſtatia to Dominique, conſigned and ſent as above, with Sugar, Rum, Melaſſes, and Cocoa.

March 12. By the *Punch*. Schooner Jonge Aaron, taken off Cape Tiberoon, William Raſmyn Maſter, Gabriel Pudro, Merchant at Curacoa, Owner, 50 Tons, 13 Men, from Port au Prince to Curacoa, conſigned and ſent as above, with Sugar, Coffee, and Corn.

March 20. By the *Low-ſtoffe*. Brig La Petit Bien Aime, taken off the Silver Keys, Caſtrene and Brother, Merchants at Bourdeaux, Owners, 200 Tons, 6 Guns, 18 Men, from Bourdeaux to Cape Francois, conſigned and ſent as above, with Wine, Flour, Oil, and Small Arms.

March 26. By the *Punch*. Sloop Polly, taken off Iſabella Bay. James Hamilton Maſter, ſeveral Perſons at Bedford Owners, 80 Tons, 9 Men, from Bedford and Boſton to Hiſpaniola, conſigned as above, ſent to Kingſton, with Fiſh, Horſes, Lumber, and Onions.

March 26. By Ditto. Brig Ann, taken off Iſabella Bay, Peleg Thurſton Maſter, Jarvis and Ruſſel Owners, 140 Tons, 10 Men, from Boſton to Cape Francois, conſigned and ſent as above, with Lumber and Oil.

March 27. By the *Low-ſtoffe*. Sloop Fortune, taken off Old Cape Francois, William Nevill Maſter, Robinſon and Black, Merchants in Caro lina, Owners, 25 Tons, 3 Men, from North Carolina to Cape Francois, conſigned and ſent as above, with Proviſions.

March 27. By the *Phœnix* and *Pallas*. Schooner Bye, taken off Cape Tiberoon, John Quickly Maſter, Meſſ. Hill and Govenceire Owners, 7 Men, from Curacoa, conſigned and ſent as above, with Sugar, Cotton and Indigo.

April 1. By the *Punch*. Sloop Hawk, taken off the Bite of Lugan, Devillas Durand Maſter, 40 Tons, 7 Men, from Curacoa to Lugan, conſigned and ſent as above, with Sugar and Coffee.

P. PARKER.

Vienna, July 15. Her Imperial Majeſty returned this Morning from Schloſhoff to Schœnbrun in perfect Health.

Dreſden, July 19. His Electoral Highneſs will ſet out To-morrow, for a few Days, to the Baths of Laueſtadt, on a Viſit to the Electreſs.

Spa, July 24. The King of Sweden arrived here laſt Saturday in the Afternoon. His Majeſty was at the Ball in the Evening, where the Company were introduced to him under the Name of Count of Haga.

War-Office, July 29, 1779.

19*th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Lieutenant Sir James Erſkine, Bart. of 21ſt Dragoons, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Honorable Charles Gunter Legge.

Ditto, —— Grey, Gent. to be Cornet, vice —— Smith.

20*th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Jonathan Blackwell, Gent. to be Cornet, vice J. Henry Pennyman.

21*ſt Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Cornet J. Henry Pennyman, of 20th Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Sir James Erſkine, Bart.

1*ſt Regiment of Foot, 2d Battalion*, Enſign Charles Campbell to be Lieutenant, vice Alexander Campbell.

Ditto, James Campbell, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Charles Campbell.

2*d Regiment of Foot*, Enſign Walter Hovenden to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Mulcaſter.

Ditto, —— Gordon, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Walter Hovenden.

6*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Francis James Scott to be Major, vice James Balfour.

Ditto, Captain-Lieutenant William Whiſton to be be Captain, vice Francis James Scott.

Ditto, Lieutenant James Blathwayt to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice William Whiſton.

Ditto, Enſign John Edwards to be Lieutenant, vice James Blathwayt.

Ditto, Lieutenant —— Gardiner, of the Weſt Norfolk Militia, to be Enſign, vice John Edwards.

12*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Haſtings to be Captain, vice Joſeph Collins.

Ditto, Enſign Adam Tweedie to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Haſlings.

16*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Charles Montagu, of the Huntingdonſhire Militia, to be Enſign in One of the Additional Companies, vice William Allan.

18*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant John Peter De Lancey to be Captain, vice Benjamin Charnock Payne.

Ditto, Lieutenant Francis John Kelly to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice John Peter De Lancey.

Ditto, Enſign John Townſon to be Lieutenant, vice Francis John Kelly.

34*th Regiment of Foot*, Walſingham Greſley, Gent. to be Enſign in One of the Additional Companies, vice Arthur Fleming.

51*st Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant George Don to be Captain, vice Thomas Green.

61*st Regiment of Foot*, Sir Edmund Thomas, Bart. to be Enfign, vice —— Fellowes.

69*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant Archibald Campbell to be Captain, vice Patrick Moore.

Ditto, Lieutenant John Ker to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Archibald Campbell.

Ditto, Enfign Donald Robertſon to be Lieutenant, vice John Ker.

Ditto, A. Bernard, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Donald Robertſon.

72*d Regiment of Foot*, Enfign John Barſton Hewan to be Lieutenant, vice Evan Jones.

Ditto, Enfign Robert Bill to be Lieutenant, vice —— Taylor.

41*ſt Regiment of Foot, Invalids*, Enfign William Thompſon to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Watſon.

Ditto, James Grant, late Serjeant-Major to the 36th Foot, to be Enfign, vice William Thompſon.

95*th Regiment of Foot*, Enfign Simon Dryſdale to be Lieutenant, vice Dugald Campbell.

97*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Naſſau Smith, of 88th Foot, to be Captain, vice James Shalto Douglas.

88*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain James Shalto Douglas, of 97th Foot, to be Captain, vice Naſſau Smith.

Weſtern Regiment of Fencible Men, Enfign John Campbell to be Lieutenant, vice A. Maclean.

Ditto, Alexander Campbell, Gent. to be Enfign, vice John Campbell.

Ditto, Enfign Charles M'Aleſter to be Lieutenant, vice William Lambie.

Ditto, Archibald Ferguſon, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Charles M'Aleſter.

Ditto, Enfign Peter Reed to be Lieutenant, vice Neil M'Lachlan.

Ditto, Hugh M'Lachlan, Gent. to be Enfign, vice Peter Reed.

IN Purſuance of the Directions of an Act paſſed in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty King George the Third, intituled, "An Act "to enable the Speaker of the Houſe of Commons "to iſſue his Warrants to make out new Writs for "the Choice of Members to ſerve in Parliament, "in the room of ſuch Members as ſhall die during "the Receſs of Parliament;" I do hereby give Notice, That the Death of John Moreton, Eſquire, late Member of Parliament for the Borough of Wigan in the County of Lancaſter, hath been certified to me in Writing, under the Hands of two Members of Parliament: And that I ſhall iſſue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the Electing of a Burgeſs to ſerve in this preſent Parliament for the ſaid Borough of Wigan, in the room of the ſaid John Moreton, Eſquire, deceaſed, at the End of Fourteen Days after the Inſertion of this Notice in the Gazette. Dated the Twenty-eighth Day of July, One thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty.

FL^R. NORTON, *Speaker*.

St. James's, July 29, 1780.

WHEREAS it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that the Dwelling-houſe of Thomas Strickland, Eſq; (a Minor) at Sizergh, in the County of Weſtmorland, was broken into on the Night between the 9th and 10th Days of July inſtant, by ſeveral Perſons unknown, who, from Combuſtibles being found in various Parts of the ſaid Houſe, appear to have formed the wicked Deſign of deſtroying the ſame by Fire:

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in breaking into the ſaid Houſe, and laying the Combuſtibles therein as above-mentioned, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

STORMONT.

And as a farther Encouragement for the ſaid Diſcovery, the Reward of FIFTY POUNDS is offered to any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery, to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the ſaid Offenders by Jerrard Strickland, Eſq; of Sizergh, One of the Guardians of the ſaid Thomas Stricklan , Eſq;

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,

From July 17, to July 22, 1780.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Buſhel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London,	4	10	2	6	2	2	2	0	2	3
COUNTIES INLAND.										
Middleſex,	4	11	——		2	8	2	2	——	
Surry,	4	11	2	9	2	3	2	1	3	4
Hertford,	4	6	——		2	7	2	1	3	2
Bedford,	4	6	——		——		1	10	2	9
Cambridge,	4	3	2	2	——		1	7	2	4
Huntingdon,	4	8	——		2	3	1	7	2	8
Northampton,	4	4	2	2	2	0	1	7	2	5
Rutland,	4	8	2	7	2	3	——		——	
Leiceſter,	4	4	2	7	2	2	1	6	2	6
Nottingham,	4	8	2	10	2	0	2	0	2	7
Derby,	5	0	——		——		1	9	3	3
Stafford,	4	10	——		——		1	7	2	10
Salop,	4	7	3	5	2	2	1	8	3	1
Hereford,	4	11	——		——		1	8	——	
Worceſter,	4	4	——		——		1	9	2	10
Warwick,	4	4	——		——		1	9	2	9
Glouceſter,	4	5	——		1	10	1	9	3	2
Wilts,	4	10	——		2	2	1	8	3	3
Berks,	4	3	——		2	1	1	9	2	6
Oxford,	4	4	——		——		1	7	2	9
Bucks,	4	4	——		2	4	1	9	2	7
COUNTIES upon the COAST.										
Eſſex,	4	4	——		2	2	1	10	2	8
Suffolk,	4	0	2	0	2	0	1	8	2	5
Norfolk,	3	10	——		1	9	1	8	——	
Lincoln,	4	3	2	6	2	0	1	7	2	6
York,	4	10	3	0	2	3	1	9	2	9
Durham,	6	2	3	5	——		1	10	3	4
Northumberland,	4	9	3	1	2	2	1	8	2	9
Cumberland,	4	10	3	3	2	1	1	6	2	6
Weſtmorland,	5	6	3	3	——		1	7	2	11
Lancaſhire,	5	6	——		——		1	8	3	0
Cheſhire,	5	5	——		2	7	1	6	——	
Monmouth,	5	3	——		2	8	1	8	——	
Somerſet,	5	0	——		2	0	1	9	2	6
Devon,	5	1	——		2	1	1	6	——	
Cornwall,	4	8	——		2	1	1	4	——	
Dorſet,	5	0	——		2	2	1	9	3	4
Hampſhire,	4	5	——		2	1	1	9	3	1
Suſſex,	4	5	——		2	1	1	9	3	5
Kent,	4	7	——		2	2	1	11	2	4

From July 10, to July 15, 1780.

WALES.										
North Wales,	4	10	3	7	2	0	1	3	3	4
South Wales,	4	3	3	1	1	11	1	1	2	3

Part of **SCOTLAND.**

Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Bg.	
4	2	——		1	11	1	7	——		0	0

Publiſhed by Authority of Parliament,

John James Catherwood.

Stamp Office, July 17, 1780.

WHereas, by an Act paſſed in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, for repealing an Act made in the 19th Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, intituled, "An

" *An Act for granting to His Majeſty certain Duties* " *on Licenſes to be taken out by all Perſons letting* " *Horſes to Hire for Travelling, in the Manner* " *therein mentioned, and certain Duties on all Horſes* " *lett to Hire, for the Purpoſes of Travelling Poſt,* " *and by Time, and upon certain Carriages therein* " *mentioned; and for granting other Duties in Lieu* " *thereof,*" it is Enacted, That from and after the 1ſt Day of Auguſt, 1780, every Perſon in Great Britain who ſhall lett to Hire any Horſe, for the Purpoſe of Travelling Poſt by the Mile, or from Stage to Stage, or being a Perſon actually letting Horſes to Hire, ſhall lett to Hire for a Day, or any leſs Period of Time, any Horſe for drawing any Coach or other Carriage with Four Wheels, in any Chaiſe or Chair with Two Wheels, or any other Carriage for which any Duty of Exciſe is made payable, ſhall pay Annually the Sum of Five Shillings for a Licence for that Purpoſe.

And that every Perſon who ſhall keep a Diligence or Poſt-Coach, for the Purpoſe of conveying in the Inſide thereof any Number of Paſſengers, not exceeding Four; or who ſhall keep any Coach or other Carriage to be employed as a Public Stage-Coach, ſhall pay Annually the Sum of Five Shillings for a Licence for that Purpoſe.

And it is Enacted, That from and after the ſaid 1ſt of Auguſt, 1780, no Perſon (except thoſe whoſe Licenſes have been renewed purſuant to the Act of the former Seſſion of Parliament) ſhall lett out any Horſe for Hire, either by the Mile or Stage, or by the Day or leſs Period of Time, to draw any Coach or other Carriage with Four Wheels, or any Chaiſe or Chair with Two Wheels, or any other Carriage upon which any Duty of Exciſe is made payable, unleſs ſuch Perſon ſhall be authoriſed to do ſo by Licence under the Hands and Seals of Two of His Majeſty's Commiſſioners for Managing the Stamp Duties, or ſome Perſon authoriſed by them, upon Pain of Forfeiting, for every Offence, the Sum of Five Pounds.

And it is further Enacted, That no Perſon (except as before excepted) ſhall keep a Diligence or Poſt-Coach, or any other Carriage to be employed as a Public Stage-Coach, without having firſt obtained a Licenſe under the Hands of Two of the ſaid Commiſſioners, upon Pain to forfeit, for every Time ſuch Carriage ſhall be ſo uſed, the Sum of Five Pounds.

Notice is hereby given to all Poſtmaſters, Innkeepers, Proprietors of Diligences, Stage-Coaches, and others whom it may concern, that Daily Attendance will be given at the Office in Cook's-court near Lincoln's-inn, for the Purpoſe of granting Licenſes and taking Bonds under the ſaid Act.—And, to prevent the Confuſion and Delay which may happen, if too many Perſons attend at the ſame Time together, it is deſired that all thoſe who are liable to theſe Duties will forthwith apply for their Licenſes; when they will receive Extracts from the ſaid Act, containing full Inſtructions and Directions for their Guidance therein.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
John Brettell, *Secretary.*

Aſſurance Office, Serjeant's-inn,
July 29, 1780.

A General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Aſſurance Office, will be held at their Houſe in Serjeant's-inn, Fleet-ſtreet, on Friday the 11th Day of Auguſt next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; and for the Choice of Auditors for the Year enſuing

Joſeph Baldwin, *Regiſter.*

London, July 25, 1780.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Crew of His Majeſty's Ship the Ambuſcade, the Honourable Captain Charles Phipps Commander, who were actually on Board at taking the Mutine and Pilote French Cutters, (in Company with ſeveral other of His Majeſty's Ships) that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the ſaid Veſſels, in Board the Ambuſcade at Portſmouth, ſome Time in the next Week, provided the Ship ſhall be then at that Port; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled, at the French Horn in Crutched Friars, the Firſt Thurſday in every Month for Three Years to come.

Edw. Ommanney;
Peter Osborn, } *of London, Agents.*

WHereas the Partnerſhip between Archibald Patterſon and William Ginger, of St. Andrew's Hill, Doctors Commons, London, Whitesmiths, is this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent; all Perſons indebted to the Copartnerſhip are deſired to pay the ſame to Mr. Price, Attorney, Northumberland-ſtreet, in the Strand, who is authoriſed to receive the ſame; and all Perſons who have any Demand on the ſaid Copartnerſhip are deſired forthwith to ſend an Account thereof to the ſaid Mr. Price, in order to their being ſatisfied. Dated this 18th Day of July, 1780.

Ar. Patterſon.
Wm. Ginger.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Thomas Pickering, late of Thelwall in the County of Cheſter, Eſq; deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their reſpective Legacies, before William Graves, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt William Chambers, late of New Bond-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. George Hanover-ſquare in the County of Middleſex, Perfumer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Baptiſt Head Coffee-houſe in Chancery-lane, to aſſent to diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Simon Kinſman, of the Pariſh of Milton Abbott in the County of Devon, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Friday the 11th Day of Auguſt next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Bedford Arms Inn, in Taviſtock, Devon, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing to, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Lewin Newman and Samuel Ripp, of Ave Maria-lane, London, Lacemen and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d and 22d Days of Auguſt next, and on the 9th Day of September following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Henry Adams, Mark-lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Baker, of Foſt-ſtreet, in the Liberty of the Old Artillery Ground within the Liberty of the Tower of London, Weaver, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 1ſt and 18th Days of Auguſt next, and on the 9th Day of September following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared